

Table 11--Utilization of Producer Milk in Class III Products, by Federal Milk Order Marketing Area, December 2004, with Comparisons 1/

Federal Milk Order Marketing Area	Order Number	Producer Milk Used in Class III			Class III Utilization Percentage		Component Test of Producer Milk Used in Class III 2/		
		2004	2003	Change from Prev. Year	2004	2003	Butterfat	Protein	Other Solids
		Million pounds		Percent	Percent		Percent		
Northeast	001	421	564	-25.4	22.21	28.00	3.91	3.10	5.65
Appalachian	005	10	43	-77.1	2.03	7.85	8.39	---	---
Southeast	007	62	104	-39.9	11.01	16.70	4.73	---	---
Florida	006	2	7	-66.0	0.87	2.64	9.05	---	---
Mideast	033	132	631	-79.1	13.40	43.38	4.05	3.04	5.66
Upper Midwest	030	36	1,459	-97.6	5.35	68.53	9.69	2.92	5.34
Central	032	105	659	-84.0	14.78	53.12	4.58	3.04	5.65
Southwest	126	6	227	-97.2	1.01	27.73	18.69	2.68	4.83
Arizona-Las Vegas	131	72	94	-23.7	29.17	36.34	6.04	---	---
Western 3/	135	---	282	---	---	64.57	---	---	---
Pacific Northwest	124	35	204	-82.7	7.96	33.17	4.71	3.11	5.59
All Markets Combined 4/		882	4,274	-79.4	12.79	41.12	4.68	3.07	5.63

1/ The election not to pool milk due to disadvantageous price relationships has affected the year-to-year comparisons for those markets where this occurred; see 2/ and 3/ on table 8.

2/ Figures for Protein and Other Solids are available only for those orders with the component pricing system for paying producers.

3/ Effective April 1, 2004, the Western Federal milk order was terminated.

4/ May not add due to rounding. Figures for Component Test are the weighted average of the individual market figures. The weighting factors are the applicable pounds in producer milk receipts used in Class III. The percent change from the previous year has not been adjusted for the termination of the Western Federal milk order; see 3/.